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UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1.  Specification (includes cover page) 23 Total Pages  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)  
- Descriptive title of the invention  
- Cross Reference to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix

- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

3.  Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) Total Sheets 7

4.  Oath or Declaration Total Sheets

- a.  Newly executed (original or copy)
- b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)

i.  DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)

- c.  Unsigned

CUSTOMER NO.	24353
Atty Docket No.	CLON037DIV
First Named Inventor	Nelson
Title	NOVEL METHOD FOR PURIFICATION OF RECOMBINANT PROTEINS

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5.  Microfiche Computer Program (*Appendix*)  
6.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
*(if applicable, all necessary)*  
a.  Computer Readable Copy  
b.  Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)  
c.  Statement verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))  
8.  37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  Power of  
*(when there is an assignee)* Attorney  
9.  English Translation Document (*if applicable*)  
10.  Information Disclosure  Copies of IDS  
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations  
11.  Preliminary Amendment  
12.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
*(Should be specifically itemized)*  
13.  Small Entity  Statement filed in prior application  
Statement(s) Status still proper and desired  
14.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
*(if foreign priority is claimed)*  
15.  Other:  
16.  Applicant claims Small Entity Status. See 37 CFR 1.27:

## CLAIMS

No. of claims as filed or after amendment		Most claims previously paid		Extra claims	3	Fee from below		Fee Due
Total claims	23	-	20	=	3	x	18	=
Ind. claims	5		3	=	2	x	78	=
Multiple Dependent claims					x	260		=

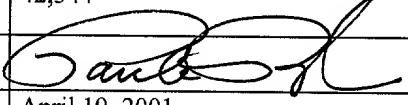
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16. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:  
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